# City of Seattle Preliminary Assessment Report

January 28, 2011

This report represents a preliminary determination of project requirements from various city departments. The report is based on project characteristics that you identified on the Site Plan and the Preliminary Application Form, and on your Pre-Application Site Visit (PASV). The city's goal is to provide you with as much information and assistance as possible prior to your permit application submittal. This coordinated list of requirements and decisions is a reference for creating a more complete submittal package to reduce the need for correction cycles that delay permit approval. The information in this report can also be used to develop a Street Improvement Plan (SIP) application for submittal to SDOT (see SDOT Client Assistance Memos 2200, 2201, 2211, 2212, 2213, and 2214).

**Note**: A preliminary assessment is being conducted on all land use projects as well as new construction projects. If you have a building project associated with your land use project, the preliminary assessment will not be repeated on the building project.

The applicant assumes full responsibility for determining all permit requirements and infrastructure improvements per applicable sections of the Seattle Municipal Code and the City of Seattle's Right-of-Way Improvement manual.

- Street use permits are required for all work in the right-of-way (see SDOT Client Assistance Memo 2100).
- If street improvements are required, you must obtain all necessary permits from SDOT.
- If an SIP is required, SDOT must accept your 90% complete SIP before DPD construction intake (see Client Assistance Memos 2200, 2206, 2209, 2211, 2213, and 2214).

<b>Project Summary</b>			
AP/Project No.	6270796	Ground Disturbance	Υ
Application Template	BLDG	PASV Required This Permit	Y
Application Type	CONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT	Date PASV Completed	01/05/11
Category	COMMERCIAL	<b>PASV Done Under</b>	
DPD Review Type	FULL	Permit Remarks	
Address	201 S King St		
Location			
Zoning		Applicant	CARL SHUMAKER 2401 UTAH AVE S #305 SEATTLE WA 98134 (206) 467-0420
King County APN	<u>7666206780</u>		
Permit Status	Initial Information Collected		
-	Construct a 4-story structure containing residential, parking & retail uses. The sturcture will incorporate structural & infrastructure support for (3) future residential High-Rise towers to be built on top of the podium, per plans.	<b>Applicant Email</b>	carls@nsco.com
		Linked AP/Project Nos.	
SDOT Project No			

For detailed zoning information, click the King County APN number above, or visit <a href="http://web1.seattle.gov/dpd/parceldata/">http://web1.seattle.gov/dpd/parceldata/</a> to find zoning details about your address.

# **Pre-Application Site Visit (PASV) Report**

Contact: Roger E Moore, (206) 733-9039, Roger.Moore@seattle.gov

PASV report requirements may be subject to additions, changes, or modifications by the department. The purpose of the report is to alert the applicant that there may be unusual or complex site conditions that trigger requirements from the department regarding this project. **The applicant is responsible for providing all required documents at the intake appointment.** If you have questions about this report or the PASV process, please contact the DPD Site Development Team at (206) 684-8860.

**Note:** Any project application associated with the development site can utilize the results from this PASV if the application is accepted by DPD within 18 months of the above inspection date. After 18 months, the applicant must apply for another PASV. No extensions will be granted.

The site plan did not include the following existing or proposed elements:

1) Drawing submitted did not include plot plan of existing conditions such as existing trees, existing curb position, and existing use. 2) Indicate site contours and provide spot elevation that indicate the topography of the site.

#### **ECA Mapping Unit and Type**

This project site appears to include the following ECAs and/or buffers: Liquefaction

#### **Earth Disturbance**

If excavation has the potential to encroach on adjacent property in order to facilitate construction activity, please provide documentation of consent from the adjacent property owner. Show area of proposed encroachment on the submitted drawings and detailed cross-sections.

If temporary cuts greater than 1h:1v will be required in order to facilitate construction activity, please provide a geotechnical engineer's verification that soil conditions allow cuts to stand unsupported. Include detailed cross sections.

Please show all existing and proposed retaining walls/rockeries and the exposed height.

If shoring will be required, please provide submittals by geotechnical and structural engineers and show the proposed system on the submitted drawings. Include detailed cross sections.

# Existing ROW Conditions OCCIDENTAL AVE S

Street conditions:

Asphalt paving

Visible pavement width is: 36 LF

Curb conditions:

Curb adjacent to site

Concrete

Approximate curb height: 6 inches

A storm inlet does not appear to be located <350 ft from the site and prior to crossing a public right of way.

### **S KING ST**

Street conditions:

Asphalt paving

Visible pavement width is: 46 LF

Curb conditions:

Curb adjacent to site

Concrete

Approximate curb height: Varies, 4" to 6" inches

A storm inlet is located <350 ft from the site and prior to crossing a public right of way. Four each inlets along S King St

#### **Potential Impacts to Seattle Parks Property**

No parks property in vicinity

#### **Tree Protection**

Trees greater than 6 inches in diameter are present on the site but not shown on the site plan. Show the dripline of 1) **all** trees on the site, 2) adjacent trees that encroach on the site that are greater than 6 inches in diameter and 3) **all** trees located in the adjacent ROW. Include common and scientific names for all trees shown. See Director's Rule 16-2008 and CAM 242.

Include all existing trees and indicate those that are proposed for removal.

#### **Construction Stormwater Control**

All projects with earth disturbance, regardless of size, require temporary and permanent stormwater control in accordance with the Construction Stormwater Control (CSC) Technical Requirements Manual (DR 16-2009, Volume 2). The CSC Best Management Practices (BMPs) noted below can be found in the Construction Stormwater Control Technical Requirements Manual, available online and from DPD's Public Resource Center.

#### Show the following on the CSC/Post Construction Soil Amendment Plan:

Place compost socks, compost berms, filter fabric fencing, straw bales, straw wattles, or other approved perimeter control BMPs to eliminate construction stormwater runoff.

Show the location of a stabilized construction access to the site; show methods to eliminate uncontrolled conveyance of mud and dirt into the right of way (ROW).

Place silt-trapping inserts in receiving catch basins located within 10 feet of construction entrance.

Cover bare soil with compost blankets, straw, mulch, matting, or other approved equal to control construction stormwater runoff.

Cover stockpiles and bare slopes with compost blankets, tarps, matting or other approved equal to control construction stormwater runoff.

A First Ground Disturbance inspection is required before any ground disturbance related to this permit, including demolition, tree cutting, clearing, grubbing, and grading. After your permit is issued, schedule an inspection by calling (206) 684-8900 or online at: http://web1.seattle.gov/DPD/InspectionRequest

#### **Inspectors Notes**

Include earthwork calculations with submittal. Indicate total cut quantity and total fill/backfill quantity.

# Standard Submittal Requirements for Projects in an ECA

Site is mapped as liquefaction prone. Geotechnical report and/or structural calculations are required to address liquefaction potential and, if needed, mitigation (see SMC 25.09.100)

# **Seattle City Light Requirements**

Contact: Ray Ramos, (206) 615-1193, <a href="mailto:ray.ramos@seattle.gov">ray.ramos@seattle.gov</a>

# Street/Alley Requirements OCCIDENTAL AVE S

Underground electrical facilities/conductors require separation from other utilities. Review SCL Construction Guideline U2-10, Electrical Conduit and Facilities in the Public Rights of Way

(http://www.seattle.gov/Light/engstd/). Before digging, contact the Utilities Underground Location Center ("one-call") at (800) 424-5555 two business days in advance to locate and mark underground utilities, per state law (RCW 19.122). There are underground high voltage lines and electrical facilities along Occidental Ave S.

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Based on our assessment of the size of your project, you may need transformers on your private property for power service to your building. This can be done with vaults inside the building, below-grade vaults, or above-grade pads exterior to the building. Include these facilities for your project power needs in your building plans. SCL has access, clearance, size and location requirements for vaults. Some transformers require long lead times to obtain. Contact SCL well in advance to provide electrical service size & voltage details.

#### **Easements**

SCL power easement may be required. Property survey may be required at project's expense.

#### Conservation

Built Smart Programs - SCL offers developers of 5+ unit multifamily buildings incentives for installation of energy efficiency measures. Build your building more efficiently with our help! For more information, contact Pete Held at (206)684-3605 or e-mail, peter.held@seattle.gov.

# **Other Requirements**

- There are underground high voltage lines at the east portion of the property. Before digging contact the
  Utilities Underground Location Center ("One-Call") at 1-800-424-5555 two business days in advance to
  locate and mark underground utilities, per State law (RCW 19.122).
- For new service, an Application for Electrical Service must be submitted to Seattle City Light. Please contact the Electrical Service Representative for your area several months before new service is required to determine your electric service design, service location and what kind of service is available at the building site. The Electrical Service Representative should also be contacted to coordinate electrical details for temporary power for construction. Your Electrical Service Representative is: Percy Schlimm, 206-386-4246, percy.schlimm@seattle.gov.

# **DPD Drainage Requirements**

Contact: Kevin Donnelly, (206) 684-5051, Kevin.Donnelly@seattle.gov

The following requirements are based on the current stormwater and side sewer codes.

# **Existing Public Drainage Infrastructure**

Storm drainage main location: Easement east of Occidental Ave S

Storm drainage main size: 36-inches

Combined sewer main location: S King St; Occidental Ave S

Combined sewer main size: 18-inches; 12-inches

#### **Drainage**

The drainage point of discharge (SMC 22.805.020) is located at: Public storm drain system.

# **Flow Control Compliance**

All new, replaced, and disturbed topsoil shall be amended with organic matter per rules promulgated by the Director prior to completion of the project to improve onsite management of drainage water flow and water quality per SMC 22.805.020.E. Refer to CAM 531, Post Construction Soil Management. For projects with 5,000 square feet or more of new plus replaced impervious surface, a comprehensive drainage control plan and construction stormwater control plan shall be prepared by a licensed engineer.

Parcel-based projects with 7,000 square feet or more of land disturbing activity or 2,000 square feet or more of new plus replaced impervious surface must implement green stormwater infrastructure to infiltrate, disperse, and retain drainage water onsite to the maximum extent feasible without causing flooding, landslide, or erosion impacts per SMC 22.805.020.F. Flow control standards must be first met by utilizing green stormwater infrastructure to the maximum extent feasible. Additional flow control measures shall be installed if the flow control standard cannot be met solely using green stormwater infrastructure. Refer to Director's Rule 17-2009 - Stormwater Manual Vol. III - Stormwater Flow Control and Water Quality. Submit a GSI Calculator along with additional flow control documentation. Refer to the following for more information: http://www.seattle.gov/dpd/Codes/StormwaterCode/Overview/default.asp

This project site discharges to a Public Combined Sewer (SMC 805.050.A.5). Based upon the information provided on the Preliminary Application Form pertaining to land disturbing activity, and existing and proposed impervious surfacing this project shall: provide flow control meeting the Peak Flow Control Standard per SMC 22.805.080.B.4. The post-development peak flow with a 4% annual probability (25-year recurrence flow) shall not exceed 0.4 cubic feet per second per acre. Additionally, the peak flow with a 50% annual probability (2-year recurrence flow) shall not exceed 0.15 cubic feet per second per acre. Projects with less than 10,000 sf new plus replaced impervious surface can use Table 4.7 - Pre-Sized Flow Control Worksheet in lieu of continuous modeling.

#### **Water Quality**

This project site discharges to a water body that requires basic treatment (SMC 22.805.050 B). Based upon the information provided on the Preliminary Application Form pertaining to existing and proposed impervious surfacing this project shall: provide a basic treatment facility that treats the required runoff volume or flow rate from pollution generating surfaces (SMC 22.805.090 B1, B2).

#### **Permanent and Temporary Dewatering**

Per SMC 21.16.110, the proposed project requires a separate side sewer permit for temporary dewatering based on the following: excavation greater than 12 feet deep.

The footing drain (if part of building plan) point of discharge (DPD DR 3-2006/SPU DR 02-06 VII.H) is located at the following: Combined system.

### **DPD Land Use Code Requirements**

Contact: Lori L Swallow, (206) 684-5627, Lori.Swallow@Seattle.Gov

#### **Street Requirements**

Based on the scope of the proposed project, the following street improvements are required per Chapter 23.53 of the Seattle Municipal Code. Please review Right-of-Way Improvements Manual for design criteria (http://www.seattle.gov/transportation/rowimanual/manual/). Show required street improvements on your "enhanced site plan" at DPD permit application intake. If an SDOT Street Improvement Plan (SIP) is required, please list SDOT project number and SDOT contact name on the enhanced site plan. Street Improvement Plans must be accepted by SDOT prior to DPD permit application intake.

#### **OCCIDENTAL AVE S**

Street trees shall be provided in the planting strip according to Seattle Department of Transportation Tree Planting Standards. Contact SDOT Urban Forestry (for residential projects: (206) 684-TREE; for all others: (206) 684-5693), to determine species of tree and standards of planting. Please add a note to the site plan showing size, location and species of tree to be planted.

http://www.seattle.gov/transportation/treeplanting.htm.

Other requirements: Street improvements per DON. Per the MUP drawings it appears that new street trees are proposed.

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Other requirements: Street improvements per DON Street trees are proposed.

# **SDOT Requirements**

Contact: Leo Kaarrekoski, leo.kaarrekoski@seattle.com

The City of Seattle's Right-of-Way Improvements Manual (ROWIM) and SDOT's Street & Sidewalk Pavement Opening and Restoration (PORR) Director's Rule 2004-02 may be accessed from SDOT's Street Use website at: http://www.seattle.gov/transportation/stuse\_docs.htm. Whenever possible, specific reference notation for these two design documents is noted next to the design characteristics below. Be advised that these specific section and chapter references are provided as preliminary guidance only and are not comprehensive in scope.

# **SDOT Permitting Information**

Initial Review Deposit: \$2,500

SDOT Plan Requirements: Engineered plan

SDOT Permit Requirements: Group 3: Street Use Major (Type 45). A 90% complete street improvement plan (SIP) must be accepted by SDOT prior to your DPD construction intake appointment. Please visit SDOT's Street Use website at: <a href="http://www.seattle.gov/transportation/stuse\_sip.htm">http://www.seattle.gov/transportation/stuse\_sip.htm</a> to obtain SDOT Client Assistance Memos (CAMs) and application materials to assist in developing your street improvement plan (SIP).

# Street Improvement Requirements OCCIDENTAL AVE S

Tree protection: Removal of trees in the public right-of-way (ROW) is prohibited. Projects must be designed to accommodate existing trees in the ROW. Exceptions to this policy require review and approval by SDOT Urban Forestry. For residential projects, call (206) 684-TREE; for all other projects, call (206) 684-5693. Contact SDOT Urban Forestry immediately if street trees you are proposing to remove street trees. If an exception from street tree removal is not granted, the project will need to be redesigned to preserve street trees.

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# **Discretionary ROW Requirements**

Street Lighting, Pedestrian Lighting, and Traffic Signal revisions: Any proposed revisions to street lighting pedestrian lighting and/or Traffic Signals requires coordination amongst several departments and divisions. Apply for SDOT SIP Design Guidance. See SDOT CAM 2211. ped lighting required??

Other requirements: Site plan calls for relocation of curb on Occidental,.

# **Other Requirements**

SDOT recommends that the applicant submit an application to SDOT for SIP Design Guidance early in the permitting process. See SDOT CAM 2211.

# **SPU Requirements**

Contact: Tanya Treat, (206) 615-1636, TreatT@seattle.gov

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All trail and sidewalk projects shall implement green stormwater infrastructure to the maximum extent feasible per SMC 22.805.030. Refer to DR SF-MEF and CAM 501. Table 4.6

#### **Water Availability**

Contact: SPU Water

Your water availability assessment has been approved.

Water Availability Certificate reference number: 20110017 Water Availability Certificate status: Approved with No Changes

Prepared by: Karen Younge

# **Existing Water System Information**

Proximity of nearest fire hydrant is: 300 feet NW of property. Meets standards.

Water Main:

Size: 12 inches Material: Cast Iron Class: ---

- Standard

Water Main is available to serve in: S King Street Distance of main to S margin of street is 50 feet.

Public ROW width is 80 feet.

Water Service(s):

# Additional Drainage and Wastewater Information

There is a public storm drain located in an easement just east of Occidental Way. The PSD was built by the then named Washington State Public Stadium Authority (WSPSA) to provide drainage to the entire property formally occupied by the Kingdome and its parking lots. The April 2000 easement is recorded with the County under number 20000502000005. there is an accompanying consent agreement recorded under number 20000502000006 that relates to maintenance in the easement by the WSPSA. Please contact the WSPSA or its successor relative to the desired connection the the storm drain. Please note that flow control will not be required when all stormwater from the site is discharged to the storm main.

#### **Other Requirements**

Owners of residential property occupied by a tenant who will be displaced by housing demolition, substantial rehabilitation, change of use, or removal of use restrictions may need to obtain a Tenant Relocation License. Refer to DPD CAM 123, Seattle's Tenant Relocation Assistance Ordinance, for further information and instructions or call (206) 684-7979.

If your project involves additions or modification to or demolition of an existing building that contains four or more dwelling units or 4,000 square feet or more of non-residential area, and the building is a designated historic landmark or is 50 years old and meets the criteria set forth in SMC 25.12 for landmark designation, SEPA is required. Please contact the Department of Neighborhoods at (206) 684-0228 or www.seattle.gov/neighborhoods/preservation to determine if your building is a designated landmark of if a referral is necessary to determine if the building meets the criteria in SMC 25.12. Refer to CAM 208 for information regarding the application requirements for a SEPA review and CAM 3000 for information regarding landmarks and historic preservation.

# **Applicant Next Steps**

For questions on the permit application process, please contact the Applicant Services Center (ASC) at 206-684-8850.

- 1. Review the requirements in this report.
- 2. Use Client Assistance Memos (CAMs), checklists and standards, and 5 Steps for a Successful DPD Application Submittal (available on the DPD website) for additional information.

- 3. If a SIP is required, **DPD will not accept your application until your SIP application is screened at SDOT.** Allow a minimum of 5 days for screening after application submittal to SDOT.
- 4. Information on requirements for Electric Service Connection (RESC), electric service applications, guidelines and other services can be found on Seattle City Light's website (<a href="http://www.seattle.gov/light/newconstruction/">http://www.seattle.gov/light/newconstruction/</a>). Contact an Electric Service Representative for your electrical service design and connection questions:

North of Denny Way (206) 615-0600 South of Denny Way (206) 386-4200 Large Commercial & Industrial (206) 233-7177

Service Applications (206) 233-APPS (2777)

- 5. If you have additional questions or need additional information, you may request a pre-submittal conference. Call (206) 684-8850 or go to DPD's website (http://www.seattle.gov/dpd/Publications/Forms/Building Permit/default.asp).
- 6. When all issues have been addressed, you may schedule an intake appointment with DPD. **Please bring a copy of this report to your intake appointment.**

The requirements and determinations in this report are based on the details provided by the applicant on the preliminary application form and site plan submitted to DPD. If the scope of your proposed project changes before your DPD intake appointment or SDOT SIP application, the requirements in this report are subject to change. If there are municipal code and ordinance changes prior to your DPD intake, the project must meet the new code requirements. Additional street improvement requirements may be triggered if a permit application for a development project on adjacent property is also undergoing review.